

COMMAND PHILOSOPHY

The Mission of HMM-262 is to "Support the MAGTF Commander by providing assault support transport of combat troops, supplies and equipment, day or night under all weather conditions during expeditionary, joint or combined operations." Our Mission Essential Tasks are:



- Conduct Sea and Air Deployment Operations
- Conduct Air Assault Operations
- Conduct Amphibious Assault and Raid Operations
- Distribute Supplies and Provide Transport Service
- Conduct Joint and Personnel Recovery
- Conduct Non-Combatant Evacuations

Every decision of our leaders – our Marines and Sailors- shall be founded on accomplishing our mission.

Every Flying Tiger is a professional warrior. As professionals, all of our actions shall be honorable both on and off duty. As warriors, we shall maintain our physical, mental, and emotional ability to impose our nation's will upon our enemies. We must remain ready when our nation is least ready. We are the latest members of HMM-262 carrying on a legacy and tradition of flying excellence, and soldierly virtue that goes back over 50 years. We do things by the book, and we do them right the first time!

To accomplish the mission as laid out above, I expect every member of this command to:

Be technically and tactically proficient.

Serve selflessly and never quit.

Take care of your fellow Marines and Sailors and their families.

Mentor and teach your junior Marines.

Continue to seek self improvement.

Have Fun.

Remember, we are a nation and military at war. It is only a question of when we will be called to deploy, not if. Keep yourselves and your families ready.

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